

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 8489**
Hidetoshi NISHIHARA : Attorney Docket No. 2006_0663A
Serial No. 10/578,199 : Group Art Unit 3746
Filed May 4, 2006 : Examiner Jessica L. Myers
COMPRESSOR : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT FORMAL DRAWING

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Attached hereto is one sheet of a formal (A4) replacement drawing (Fig. 7). In the Office Action of September 18, 2008, the Examiner objected to the drawing and indicated that Fig. 7 should be designated as "Prior Art." In order to address the Examiner's objection, a replacement Fig. 7 is attached hereto, and replacement Fig. 7 has been labeled as "Prior Art." No new matter has been added by the replacement drawing. Entry of replacement Fig. 7 is thus respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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